



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application No. : 09/682,098
Applicant : BERNHART, ET AL.
Filed : JULY 19, 2001
Title : SYSTEM, METHOD, AND COMPUTER PROGRAM PRODUCT FOR
BIOLOGICAL EXPERIMENT INFORMATION

Art Unit : 2172
Examiner : TO, BAOQUOC N.

Atty Docket No. : AFFY-0016-8

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Sir:

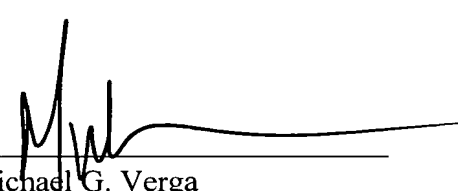
Applicant requests that the time for taking action in this case be extended pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) for **two (2) months**. The fee set in 37 C.F.R. § 1.17 for the extension of time is **\$420.00**.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of any fees associated with this communication, including fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 and 1.17 or credit any overpayment to **Deposit Account Number 10-0233-AFFY-0016-8**.

Also enclosed is a Notice of Appeal.

Respectfully submitted,

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